

Uniformity in Administration and Other Matters in Courts

642. Sri B. B. SAYANAK (Belgaum).—

Will the Minister for Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Mysore Civil Courts Act has been made applicable to all the areas in the State.

(b) whether by application of this Act to all the areas, the status of District Judges, Civil Judges and Munsiff, their powers and functions were brought on a uniform pattern ;

(c) if so, whether the same pattern of staff, the same scales of pay and allowances in respect of staff of all the courts has been brought into force ;

(d) if not, the reasons for not bringing uniform pattern of administration, the staff and pay scales and service conditions in all the Courts in the State ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY (Minister for Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs).—

(a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

(c) After the revision of pay scales in the New State of Mysore uniformity in the pay structure has been achieved, but uniformity has not been achieved in the staff pattern of the subordinate courts.

(d) The High Court was awaiting the recommendations of the Pay Commission, which has recommended uniform staffing pattern for each category of Courts, based on the assessment of work-load. The Commission has also suggested the undertaking for this purpose a work-study by the High Court. The matter is under consideration.

Post of Copyists and Examiners in District Courts

644. Sri B. B. SAYANAK (Belgaum).—

Will the Minister for Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of posts of Copyists and Examiners existing in the District Courts of old Mysore area ;

(b) whether it is a fact that only one post of a Copyist and an Examiner is sanctioned to the District Courts in Bombay Karnatak area ;

(c) whether there is any proposal to sanction one Copyist and one Examiner for each District Court in Bombay Karnataka area ;

SRI K. PUTTASWAMY (Minister for Law, Labour and Parliamentary Affairs).—

(a)—

		Copyist Examiner	Typist Copyist	Copyist
Bangalore	...	1 (I Grade) 1 (II Grade)	3	1
Mysore	...	2 (I Grade)	3	1
Mandya	...	1 (I Grade Examiner)	3	1
Hassan	...	1 (I Grade Examiner)	3	1
Kolar	...	1 (I Grade Examiner)	3	1 (Kannada Copyist)
Tumkur	...	1 (I Grade Copyist Examiner)	3	1
Chickmagalur	...	1 do	3	1
Shimoga	...	1 do	1	2
Bellary	...	— do	—	1 (Supdt. of Copyist)
				7
Chitradurga	...	1 do	3	1

(b) One post of I Grade Copyist-Examiner, 7 Typist-Section Writers (Typist-Copyist) and 3 Regional Section Writers for the District Court Belgaum, one post of I Grade Examiner, 6 posts of Typist-Copyists for the District Court, Bijapur; one post of I Grade Copyist-Examiner, 3 posts of Typist-Coyist and 2 posts of Copyists for the District Court, North Kanara, Karwar and one post of I Grade Copyist-Examiner, 15 posts of Typist-Copyists for the District Court, Dharwar have been sanctioned.

(c) The Pay Commission has recommended uniform staffing pattern for each category of Courts, based on assessment of work-load. The High Court has to undertake to a work study for the purpose after the completion of which, it will be possible to sanction the posts of Copyists and Copyist-Examiners uniformly.

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know if the duties of the civil clerk of the Senior Civil Judge's Court in Bombay Karnatak area and that of Shirestedar of old Mysore area, are the same?

SRI K. PUTTASWAMY.—I cannot say whether they are same. Perhaps they may be discharging similar duties.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know what are the duties they are discharging ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I want notice.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know why there is discrimination in respect of these two posts ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—There is no discrimination whatsoever.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know when the Mysore Civil Courts Act was made applicable to all the areas in the State ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I have answered that. I cannot give the exact date just at present.

Sri D. B. KALMANKAR.—May I know what is the scale or pay of the Head Clerk in the Senior Civil Judge's Court in Bombay area and that of Shirestedar in old Mysore ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I am not able to give that information just now.

Sri S. R. BOMMAI.—May I know why not the Government enforce uniform service rules so far as Civil Court employees are concerned, when there is one Act applicable to the whole State ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—Uniform service rules are there but scales and designations are different. It is engaging the attention of the High Court. The High Court was awaiting for the report of the Pay Commission. Now that the Pay Commission has made certain recommendations, those recommendations are engaging the attention of the High Court. The Pay Commission has also made recommendation for work study of two or three courts in each category. Afterwards the High Court would make recommendation regarding the uniformity in the pattern, After that the Government will be able to consider.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ ನಾಗಪ್ಪ.—ಈಗ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಹೇಳಿದರು, ಕೋರ್ಟಿನ ಪೇ ಸ್ಕೇಲ್ ಮತ್ತು ಸರ್ವಿಸ್ ರೂಲ್ಸ್ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪೇಕಮಿಷನ್ ರಿಪೋರ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು. ಆ ತರಹ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ನೋಟಿಫಿಕೇಷನ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಹೈಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಜಡ್ಜಿಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಕಮಿಷನ್ನಿಗೆ ನೀತಿ ನಿರೂಪಣೆ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಹೇಳುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ಇದೆಯೇ ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—He is raising a question which is beyond the scope of the question as such. The Government requested the Pay Commission to look into all these things and I believe the High Court has requested the Pay Commission regarding the question of uniform staffing pattern.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್. ಶ್ರೀಕಂಠಯ್ಯ.—ನಿವಿತ್ ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಆಕ್ಟ್ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ಬಂದಮೇರೆ ನಿವಿತ್ ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಜೂರಿಸ್‌ಡಿಕ್ಷನ್ ಕಡಿಮೆಯಾಗಿ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಜಡ್ಜಿಗೂ ಅಪಾರವಾದ ಹಣ ಖರ್ಚಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ; ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ವರ್ಕ್ ಲೋಡು ಇಲ್ಲವೆ ಇರುವುದು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ ?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—I can give that answer but I am surprised the hon. Member is putting a question of this type.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The supplementary is not within the scope of the main question.

Sri D. B. KALMANKAR.—In answer to (c) in Question 642 it is stated that uniformity in the pay structure has been achieved. May I know whether it is a fact that it is achieved in all the areas of the State?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—It is so.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know why there is discrimination in the pattern of administrative staff and pay scales and service conditions in all the courts in the State?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—We have inherited this as a result of the States reorganisation and dissimilar pattern of staff exist in several areas. The High Court has to make recommendation regarding this and when they make, we will be able to consider it.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know when they will be able to make recommendation?

Sri K. PUTTASWAMY.—When we receive the recommendations of the High Court, I do not think we will allow any time to lapse.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question No. 696 and 887 may also be taken up together.

Permits for Private Operators to run Vehicles on Nationalised Routes

696. **Sri C. M. S. SASTRY** (Chickmagalur).—

Will the Minister for Transport be pleased to state:—

(a) whether permits for private operators have been granted on contract on monopolised routes;

(b) whether Asoka Travels, Janatha Travels, etc., have been operating regular service buses at specific timings on nationalised routes, such as Bangalore–Shimoga and Mysore–Bangalore, etc.;

(c) whether this would not adversely affect the earnings of the M.S.R.T.C.;

(d) whether the Government is also aware that a number of luxury taxis are running between Bangalore–Mysore, Bangalore–Tumkur etc., affecting the revenues of the Mysore State Transport;

(e) the steps taken to put an end to this system of competition;

(f) the rationale behind allowing private operations even on monopolised routes?

Sri MOHAMED ALI (Minister for Transport).—

(a) Contract Carriage permits have been granted.

(b) No.